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HEREWITH NOMINATIONS IV GRANTS CATEGORY GROUP OBSERVATION
AND CONSULTATION FOR PRINCIPAL ABRAHAM SEFEANE, PRINCIPAL
DANIEL KHOTSO TJOTSANE AND ALTERNATE EDGAR MONYALI MOTOPI.
IF FUNDS AVAILABLE WOULD LIKE SEND ALTERNATE.

- I. 1. NAME: ABRAHAM SEFEANE
2. PRESENT POSITION: DISTRICT EXTENSION OFFICER, CROP
DIVISION, BUTHA BUTHE DISTRICT
PAST: ASSISTANT DEMONSTRATOR
3. PERSONAL DATA: BORN AUG 2, 1937, MOLUMONG,
MOKHOTLONG, LESOTHO
CITIZENSHIP: MOSOTHO
4. TRAVEL ABROAD: NO
5. PREVIOUS U.S. GRANT: NONE
6. ESCORT SERVICES: NO
7. VISA ELIGIBILITY: ELIGIBLE
- II. 1. NAME: DANIEL KHOTSO TJOTSANE
2. PRESENT POSITION: PROJECT MANAGER, MOYENI LIVESTOCK
IMPROVEMENT CENTER, QUTHING
DISTRICT
PAST: ASSISTANT EXTENSION OFFICER AND LIVESTOCK
ASSISTANT
3. PERSONAL DATA: BORN FEB 17, 1939, KOALI'S, LESOTHO
CITIZENSHIP: MOSOTHO
4. TRAVEL ABROAD: U.S. NO; REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA,

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BOTSWANA, SWAZILAND

5. PREVIOUS U.S. GRANT: NONE
6. ESCORT SERVICES: NO
7. VISA ELIGIBILITY: ELIGIBLE

III. ALTERNATE

1. NAME: EDGAR MONYALI MOTOPI
2. PRESENT POSITION: DISTRICT EXTENSION OFFICER, CROP
DIVISION, QACHA'S NEK, LESOTHO
PAST: ASSISTANT DEMONSTRATOR SINCE 1957
3. PERSONAL DATA: BORN MAY 17, 1939, QEME HA SANKOE,
LESOTHO
CITIZENSHIP: MOSOTHO
4. TRAVEL ABROAD: U.S. NO; UK, REPUBLIC OF SOUTH
AFRICA, BOTSWANA, SWAZILAND
5. PREVIOUS U.S. GRANT: NONE
6. ESCORT SERVICES: NO
7. VISA ELIGIBILITY: ELIGIBLE

REASON FOR NOMINATION: NOMINEES REPRESENT IMPORTANT RURAL
DISTRICTS WHERE LEADERSHIP IN AGRICULTURE HIGHLY DESIRED.
ALL IDENTIFIED AS UP-AND-COMING LEADERS IN AGRICULTURE WHO
ARE ALREADY INFLUENTIAL THEIR DISTRICTS.

POST OBJECTIVES: GIVE GRANTEES BROAD EXPOSURE TO AMERICAN
AGRICULTURAL PRACTICES SUITABLE FOR IMPLEMENTATION IN
LESOTHO, WITH EMPHASIS ON CROPS, LIVESTOCK, AND COUNTY
EXTENSION SERVICES. SHOULD VISIT DIFFERENT PARTS OF COUNTRY
WITH AGRICULTURE AND CLIMATE SIMILAR TO LESOTHO. SUGGEST
CONSIDERABLE TIME WITH COUNTY EXTENSION AGENTS FOR OBSER-
VATION METHODS USED PROMOTING BETTER AGRICULTURAL PRACTICES
DIRECT TO FARMER. EXPECT GRANTEES TO TRAVEL TOGETHER ALTHOUGH
MAY BE SOME DIVERGENCE BETWEEN "CROPS" AND LIVESTOCK.

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